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TOP DESIGNER—William Charles Bailey, junior from Dallas, looks over a picture of his model automobile that won him a \$3,000 scholarship last year. He received the award for placing second in the nation in the annual Fisher Body contest.

Auto Model

A&M Junior Gets National Honor

By JON KINSLOW
Battalion Managing Editor
One junior here is attending A&M on a scholarship that many boys have often dreamed of winning, but it took him five years and a lot of hard work to get it. The student, William Charles Bailey, mechanical engineering ma-

ior from Dallas, placed second in 1954 in the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild model car competition. He was given a \$3,000 scholarship after his model car, a hardtop convertible, was judged to be the second best of 20 cars that were entered for the national honors.

Fisher Body, a subsidiary of General Motors, offered Bailey \$900 for the model, but he refused because of "sentimental reasons."

Last year, however, was not the first time that Bailey has walked off with honors for one of his models. In fact, he won honors each of the five years that he entered, but last year was the first time that he received national recognition.

He won the state competition three times and twice won regional. The other two years he placed second and third in the state.

Bailey's award, though, was not for the Texas division since he only recently moved to this state. He moved to Dallas from Kansas City, Kan., where he also attended junior college for two years.

As for how much time it took to construct his prize-winning model, Bailey said it took most of his spare time for about eight months. From the time he entered his first model until his auto was selected as second in the nation, Bailey described it all as being a "long pull."

About the future, Bailey says he naturally would like to do automotive engineering or even automotive design, and he said he had received much valuable training from his work on the model cars.

"If you are interested in that line it helps quite a bit," he added. A trophy citing Bailey's achievement will be presented to the college during a seminar meeting at 10 a.m. Friday.

One thing he slightly regrets is that he cannot enter the competition again since he is over the age limit now and also because of his national honor. "I was just lucky," he said. "I just made it in under the wire."

News of the World

By The ASSOCIATED PRESS

SAN JOSE—Costa Rica's spreading warfare cracked at half a dozen points over the country yesterday. Mystery planes attacked four towns, including this capital where President Jose Figueres declared: "We don't scare with the splattering of bullets."

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BURLINGTON—Fifteen persons died yesterday as a TWA Martin Skyliner and a privately owned DC3 collided in the air and crashed a half mile apart. There were no survivors to explain the accident.

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AUSTIN—Senate investigators yesterday took their probe into the state veterans land program behind closed doors and announced they plan to subpoena witnesses for a closer look at alleged irregularities.

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LONDON—Moscow radio yesterday accused U. S. interests of starting the fighting in Costa Rica. "Once again the U. S. monopolies are trying to disrupt the peace," it said in an English language broadcast heard here.

TT Probation Review Set

Thirty-Three Apply

Southwestern Executives To Attend Course Here

Thirty-three executives from some of the largest Texas and southwestern business and industrial firms have been accepted for the third annual Executive Development course here Jan. 30-Feb. 19.

Response to the course has been so enthusiastic that additional applications were returned to keep the classes from becoming too big for effective teaching, Henderson Shuffler, A&M System director of

information and publications, said yesterday.

Created in 1953 at the request of industrial leaders of the southwest, the course is designed to train executives of rapidly expanding industries to view their organizations as a whole instead of merely the departmental activities to which they have been limited.

Recognized national authorities will discuss the current economic and industrial situation as a back-

ground for intensive study of specific industrial problems of the southwest.

The first day of the course will be devoted to registration of the student executives in the afternoon, followed by an informal reception that evening at which President David H. Morgan will officially welcome the group. Introduction of the staff and explanation of the course objectives by F. C. Bolton, president emeritus and course director, will conclude the activities for the evening.

Lecturers who will conduct class sessions include Ralph D. Paine jr., publisher of Fortune magazine; Larry L. Ellis, partner in Booz, Allen and Hamilton of Chicago; Watrous Irons, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas and J. B. Thomas, president of Texas Electric company of Fort Worth.

Paine will discuss American Business Today in one of the early sessions while the others will talk on such topics as Management Appraisal, Business Measurements and Industries of the Southwest—Power Industry.

Two or three lecture sessions are scheduled for each day during the course which all takes place in the Memorial Student Center. The executives will attend all the lectures, exchange ideas and work out solutions to industrial problems presented during the sessions. Question periods and class discussion will follow each lecture.

The executive students attending the course are selected by the company they represent and are usually men who have rapidly worked up to certain level in the organization where a broader knowledge of their organization's part in the national economy is needed, Shuffler said.

Registration fee, which covers cost of instruction, books and material, is \$300 per man and the sessions are limited to those enrolled in the course. Certain evening sessions, however, will be open by invitation to other executives of southwestern industry.

Potter Will Head Physics Group

Dr. J. G. Potter, head of the physics department, has been elected chairman of the Texas Section of the American Association of Physics Teachers which meets concurrently and cooperatively with the Texas Academy of Science.

"The newly created organization fulfills a need which has been felt and expressed throughout physics circles over the state through the years," Potter said.

RV's, Band March In Austin Tuesday

The A&M band and the Ross Volunteers will march in the governor's inauguration parade Tuesday morning at Austin.

Allen Shivers will be inaugurated for his third full term, after defeating Ralph Yarborough in a run-off election Aug. 28.

The group will leave early Tues-

day morning, said Paul E. Gentry, band commander. The band will march with all 240 members, and the parade route will be up Congress avenue, he said.

"We have been invited to the inauguration ball if we wish to attend," he added.

The RV's have made definite plans to appear in two other parades besides Tuesday's appearance. The Mardi Gras, held in New Orleans, Feb. 19-22; and Holiday in Dixie in Shreveport April 27-May 11, said Joe Bob Walker, RV commander.

Among the RV's other activities are appearances for Mothers Day, and a rifle squad for Silver Taps and the Aggie Muster, April 21.

College Head From Mindanao Now At A&M

Zogimo T. Montemayor, president of Mindanao Agricultural college, the Philippines, is now studying at A&M.

A veteran of 27 years in public school work from both the instruction and administration sides, Montemayor is here under auspices of the Foreign Operations administration of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. He is studying advanced agricultural economics, adult education and industrial education.

He also is spending part of his semester here visiting typical Texas farms and studying 4-H clubs and Future Farmers of America activities.

One reason for his visit at this time is study of new methods and crops which might prove useful in improving his school. Mindanao Agricultural college is now establishing itself on 10,000 acres of virgin land and large acres of new land are being opened up for homesteading.

Student Life Won't Meet; No Business

The Student Life committee, scheduled to meet next Monday, won't meet.

They have a pretty good reason for calling it off.

According to the notice sent to members of the committee, there's nothing for the group to talk about.

Smith To Attend

Frank Smith, manager of the College Station Western Auto-associate store, will attend a showing of Western Auto's new spring and summer merchandise Jan. 23 in Houston. Smith has been manager of the store here since it was started in October.

Crackdown Started On Illegal Parking

The city of College Station has started a crackdown on illegal parking around the North Gate business area, and have already issued 29 tickets for violations this month.

The main offenses, according to Patrolman Melvin Luedke, are parallel parking on the wrong side of the street, and backing into diagonal parking places. Parking on the wrong side of the street means anyone who parks on the side to the driver's left.

During November and December only 10 tickets were issued by the College Station police force. This month, in addition to the 29 tickets for parking violations, four speeding tickets have also been issued.

"A lot of people don't know that there is an ordinance against these two dangerous parking practices," said Ran Boswell, city manager.

Some Student Offenders

Some of the offenders have been A&M students, who also said they didn't know the law. On the campus, where parking is permitted on only one side of a street, there are no restrictions against parking on the left side, according to

Fred Hickman, chief of campus security.

"However, I don't advocate this type of parking because of the danger it creates," Hickman added.

Luedke said the reason for tickets being issued was that in both types of violations the driver must cross the opposing lane of traffic when he enters and leaves the parking space.

"If an illegally parked car is involved in an accident, the owner may be liable," Luedke said.

Other Traffic Problems

Boswell said the other traffic headache was keeping traffic moving during the rush hours, especially the noon hour. The worst intersection is Spence street (the first street west of the circle), but rubber markers are put up each day and the traffic moves "all right," he said.

Weather Today

The outlook for today is clear with little change. Yesterday's high was 63, low 46. The temperature at 11 this morning was 47.

Action Is Result Of Panel Findings

The Executive committee will review soon the terms of the probation by which last year's members of the Tonkawa Tribe secret fraternity are now in school.

President David H. Morgan said the review will be made "in the light of the findings of Tuesday's military panel."

A military panel Tuesday dismissed Tom McDade on the grounds that he had violated the probation by "putting constantly before the student body reminders of the secret organization that was disbanded last spring", and by having excess demerits.

McDade was one of seven students who are in school under probation because they were members of the TT's last spring.

Dog Owners Urged To Get Tags For Pets

City Manager Ran Boswell yesterday urged citizens to buy their dog licenses before Feb. 1, or face the risk of having their dogs picked up.

The reason for the plea was that only 47 tags have been sold for this year. There were 22 tags issued last year. The \$1 fee can be paid at the city hall, and a certificate of rabies vaccination must be presented. The city ordinance requiring dog registration applies to all dogs more than three months old.

Included in the untagged dogs for this year is the owner of the 1954 tag 144—Reveille, the A&M mascot. During the dog-tagging campaign last year Boswell said that even Reveille would have to have a tag "or she might get picked up."

"When a dog is picked up, the owner has 48 hours in which to claim him at the city pound," he explained. "In addition to the license, a pounding fee of \$3.50 is charged."

Dog owners will probably have until the end of the month to buy the licenses, and then a campaign of picking up all strays will begin, Boswell added.

Student Senate To Host TISA

The Texas Intercollegiate Students association will meet here Feb. 12 in the Memorial Student Center, said Jerry Ramsey, president of the student senate.

According to Ramsey, the association will hear reports on district projects and make plans for the annual meeting at Trinity. The student senate is acting as host for the delegates from approximately 65 schools expected for the meeting, he said.

Influenza Leads

Influenza was the leading disease in the College Station-Bryan area last week with 38 reported cases.

Seventeen were indefinitely suspended after an investigation last spring disclosed that they were members of the secret fraternity. They were allowed to return to A&M this semester, after signing a statement saying that they would be on conduct probation, would not room with another former member of the TT's, and could not hold any elected or appointed campus positions for a year.

This is the probation McDade was convicted of violating, and the probation the Executive committee will review.

Within a Week

Morgan said he had "no idea" of what the result of the review would be. The Executive committee set the terms of the present probation. The review will be made within a week, Morgan said.

Morgan said that there would not be a committee set up to investigate the possibility of the secret group being organized or active. Such a committee was established last year.

"There is no evidence of any organized activity of the secret fraternity this year," Morgan said.

The military panel also said they did not feel that the group was organized this year.

McDade's Statement

McDade, a senior business major from El Campo, was to have left the campus yesterday.

He gave the following prepared statement to The Battalion yesterday:

"All I have to say is—I don't have anything to say. If I said what is in my heart, I may or may not regret it—it's over. I am an Aggie, first, last, and always! The reason for no other statement being that I do not care to leave through the South Gate; rather, I prefer to leave via the North Gate.

"Sometimes you just can't express in words your love and bitterness for the same thing. It's a great school, and I've caused enough talk, so let us say that I have nothing to say in order to prevent any after effects in the corps.

"Finally, I'm sorry I'm leaving. I'll never be back, but the best and kindest of my own personal regards to the entire Cadet Corps and Texas A&M."



WHAT TO DO?—College Station Patrolman Melvin Luedke scratches his head and wonders what to do about people who park illegally such as the car on the right. The city has been carrying on a campaign against parking violations in the North Gate business area, and have already given 29 tickets this month.